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CERTAIN QUINOLINE DERIVATIVES

CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 11, 2004

Sir:

The correct inventors were named in this non-provisional application. The prosecution of this case results in the amendment and/or cancellation of claims so that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in this case. This is an amendment being filed requesting deletion of the following names of persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed. The persons to be deleted are:

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Tadashi OKABE; and

Makoto KOMATSU.

This case is not involved in an interference. The undersigned is a party set forth in 37 CFR 1.33(b). The processing fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i) is attached.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact David R. Murphy (Reg. No. 22,751) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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